



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

Appl. No.: **09/703,623**

Applicant: **Erik Nikkanen**

Filed: **November 2, 2000**

Title: **PRINTING PRESS INK TRANSFER MECHANISM AND EMPLOYMENT
OF SAME**

Art Unit: **2854**

Examiner: **EICKHOLT, Eugene**

Docket No.: **T00322-0003**

Mail Stop Issue Fee
U.S. Patent & Trademark Office
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Attention: Eugene Eickholt

RESPONSE

Sir:

Pursuant to a telephone request from the Examiner, Applicant submits the following:

1. Replacement drawings (eight sheets figures 1 to 10); and
2. Substitute Declaration and Power of Attorney document amended to indicate the correct priority information.

Applicant submits that all formalities have now been completed and the application is now in condition to issue to patent.

Respectfully submitted,

John R.S. Orange
Agent for Applicant
Registration No. 29,725

Date: June 9, 2004

McCarthy Tétrault LLP
P.O. Box 48, Suite 4700, Toronto Dominion Bank Tower
66 Wellington St. West
Toronto, Ontario M5K 1E6, Canada

Tel: (416) 362-1812
JRO/jm

(✓) encls.